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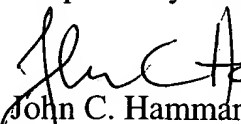
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Sir:

Applicants submit three copies of a supplemental declaration to satisfy requirements that the Examiner raised concerning that requirement in his Advisory Action dated January 13, 2003.

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